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WASHINGTON, March 14, 1985 -- Revised figures show that U. S. railroads carried a record 921.6 billion ton-miles of freight in 1984, the Association of American Railroads reported today.

Preliminary figures based on estimates in December were slightly lower and also fell below the previous record of 918.6 billion ton-miles, set in 1980.

The 1984 ton-mile total was 11.3 percent above 1983 and 0.3 percent above the 1980 total.

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